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in magnitude hourly.

The action of French leaders in

Dakar in throwing in their lot with

Admiral Darlan was regarded by official Allied quarters in North

Africa as 'purely a French mat-ter,' but the acquisition of the ex-cellent naval port by Darlan was

recognized as of great advantage

would be thrown open to Allied warships and ships as were Casa-

blanca, Oran and Algiers, provid-ing an important base in the South

Atlantic, But, above all, it removed

the possibility that the base might

be used for Axis submarines and

thus wiped out a large threat to

shipping in the South Atlantic.

The disposition of the French

was not announced.

warships now anchored at Dakar

With the Dakar problem settled, the hold of the Axis on Africa was

confined to a narrow coastal strip, stretching from the region of E

Agheila in Libya to west of Bizerte, on the extreme northern tip of Tunisia.

This line has been reported cut

by French troops near the Libyan-Tunisian border and in the region of Bages, but the Allied position there was uncertain. The German

radio claimed yesterday that the entire Tunisian coast down to

district occupied until now and to

"The daily growing strength of the Axis air forces especially mi-pairs the advance of British and

Axis bombers had attacked trains

leaving a station on the Algerian-Tunisian border.

The broadcast said low - flying

"Continuous air attacks against

the Germans and Italians had ex-

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entire Tunisian coast de Tripoli was in Axis hands.

supplies quickly.

American troops. .

It was assumed that the

to the Allies.

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Reds Closing in On Nazis

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

-ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Bird Dog-Foscinator of Men

The bird season which opens in Arkansas December is supposed to glorify the hunter, but the suspicion runs strongly in a non-hunter like me that theres' more glamor in the dogs than in the men. Among non-hunters a bird dog doesn't rate as high as some of the town dogs, collie, police, chow, cooker-spaniel or bulldog—but once a non-hunter is persuaded to take

the field with those who follow the hunting dogs in earnest he meets

My own first experience in watch-

ing the bird dogs work failed to make a hunter of me, but I remem-

bered the dogs—for they stirred, as they will stir in any man, a pro-found admiration for the miracle of

two young ones out for a training flight last season.

Instinct was as strong in the pups as in the old one. But there were

running along the ground the old dog left his point and moved up to keep within distance. This puzzled

The pups weren't the only puzzled

ones. The old dog's owner didn't get the picture either, called him back and gave him thunder—until after the second and third time the

man realized that the birds were

running this day and a new technique was required . . . which the old dog had already found. And pretty soon the young dogs had found it too, and the training went

business was stopped immediately.
And after the bird had been thrown

are especially good and steady, who knows, perhaps they'll be trusted

face and try to think up some bless-

Well, misery loves company, so let's resurrect one of the Massachusetts Bay Puritans of 1621, in the autumn of which year the first

Thanksgiving Day was observed. We can't take Governor Carver, because he was among the half of

the colonists who died in the pre-ceding winter from physical priva-tions, including malnutrition. He never lived to give thanks in Am-

clothes. And how much of any of these do you suppose the Pilgrim

some turkeys (fowls are not ration

some turkeys (low)s are not ration-ed) which they went into the Indian-infested forests and shot; crude houses in which 65-degrees of heat anywhere except in front of

the fireplace would have seemed

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run?

ings.

cant' carry us all.

with a revelation.

living things.

Nazis Use Exit Permits to Get **Outside Money**

And so the other day when a young Hope man was expounding on his own first adventure with the dogs I understood, and his expericrlands government - in - exile charged Germany today with orwith orof extormits from ganizing a vast scheme of extor-tion by selling exit permits from occupied territory for great sums and said it would combat the traffic with every means in coopera-tion with the British and United

as in the old one. But there were tricks to be learned. For instance, this particular day the birds were breaking from cover and running along the ground—not flying. Ordinarily the pups marked the old dog's point and "froze" with him. But when the birds persisted in the control of the contr States governments. Relatives and friends in Allied and neutral territory receive a communication that persons in oc-cupied territory will be allowed to emigrate on condition that a considerable sum, in the currency of a neutral country, be made available to the enemy," it said. the pups. They 'froze' according to instinct, and watched despairingly while the old dog broke and paced the birds.

"In some eases the request ema-nates from the prospective emigrant. In other cases the attempt is made through associates of the enemy in neutral territory. The request is sometimes accompanied by an open or veiled threat that those concerned will be sent to a concentration camp should the ran-som not be forthcoming.

() "Evidence which has reached the Netherlands government and the governments of the United Kingdom and the United States indicates that the practices are organ-lalong smoothly. he Corman a⊸'

of course there was a rough spot enemies are doing their putmost to increase their holdings of neutral currency. The sums demanded, it said, are very large sometimes as high as the equivalent of \$20,000 a head. "The Netherlands government, after consultation with the British and United States governments," it announced, "reluctantly have come to the conclusion that they

cannot yield to German attempts at extortion. It said that while a few might "the sadism and terror of the Nazis." there remained the accumulated misery and starvation

of those left in occupied territory and "they will remain subjected to Nazi rule as long as the enemy's l stave off the day of his defeat and the liberation of the oppressed Eu-

ropean peoples."

It added that "submission to intimidation is incitement to in-

Lord Selborne, minister of economic warfare, made a similar or cocoa for this year's Thanksgiving dinner. Many meats now are ment in the House of Lords.

He warned that all are the control of the contr

He warned that all persons making payments or facilitating the old home town, and the railroads traffic would be regarded as "being engaged in transactions for the benefit of the enemy" and would be put on the British blacklist. If living in the United Kingdom, he said, they would be liable to prosecution under the trading with the

Ickes Proposes New Oil Line to East Coast

Washington, Nov. 24 —(P)—Petroleum Coordinator Ickes told congressional committee today he has requested authority to con-struct a second new oil pipeline from the southwest oil fields to the New York — Philadelphia area, and said if approved it would add 200,000 barrels daily to eastern oil

supplies.
The interior secretary told a house interstate commerce subonimittee it would take from nine to twelve months to build the line

to twelve months to build the line if authority and priorities were granted.

It would supplement a line already being built from Longview, Texas, to Norris City, Ill., and thence to New Jersey.

The line already being built to Illinois, Ickes said, is scheduled for completion by December 15, but probably would be held up because of a labor shortage and delays in obtaining pumping equipment.

William Bradford, second governor, will do. Presumably he had as many comforts as there were in the village of Plymouth.

Bring back the spirit of William Bradford, invite him to Thanksgiving dinner in the home of the poorest family in town, and watch his spiritual eyes pop at what he sees and what he has to eat!

Sure, we are short of coffee and tea, spices and beef, gasoline and fuel oil and virgin wool in our store clothes. And how much of any of

He said the extension of this the said line extension of this line to New Jersey probably would be completed by next June, resulting in daily delivery of an additional 300,000 barrels of crude oil These do you suppose the Prigrim
Fathers had when in gratitude for
their first matured harvest, which
for the first time enabled them to
eat a satisfyingly full meal of any
sort, they established the institution of Thanksgiving?

They felt themselves fortunate to
have some grain (we have a surto the eastern coast.

Ickes said the new line he has requested would be 20 inches in diameter and would carry refined petroleum products. The line now being built is a 24-inch line to have some grain (we have a sur-plus) which they could make suc-cessively into flour and bread; carry crude.

Modeling birds from paper and clay is the hobby of Dorothea Richardson of England. She has created 150 vari-Modeling hirds from paper and clay ties of the feathered creatures, carefully preserving the life-size scae.

3 Men to Die for Treason, **Wives Sentenced**

tenced to death today and their wives were each sentenced to 25 years imprisonment and fined \$10,-

000.
The men were sentenced to die by electrocution Jan. 22 "at a place in Northern Illinois." Each of the defendants stared fixedly at the judge as the sentence was pronounced, displaying no emotion. There was no demonstra-

lion in the courtroom. The defendants, convicted of aiding and sheltering Herbert Hans Haupt, one of the eight Nazi sabowho landed in America by submarine last summer, were: Hans and Erna Haupt, parents of cd," said a spokesman at Allied the saboteur; Walter and Lucille headquarters in North Africa. Froehling, the youth's uncle and aunt, and Otto and Kate Wergin, friends of the Haupt family.

It was the second treason convic-

tion in 148 years of American history.
On Aug. 6, Max Stephan was convicted at Detroit, Mich., and sentenced to be hanged for aiding the flight of a Nazi saboteur who escaped from a Canadian concentration camp.

The six defendants in the Chicago treason case were convicted Nov. 14. Subsequently Anthony Cramer was convicted in New York, Nov. 18, for helping two of the saboteurs who accompanied young Haupt to America on a mission of destruc-

Federal Judge William J. Campbell, in passing sentence, read a statement in which he said in part:

"These defendants had a fair trial, a thing of the past in the country they sought to be friend. "How different this trial was from the treatment of similar offenses against the German Reich. Here an able, considerate and patient jury of able men and women from every walk of life, representative of the finest ideals of our American commonwealth, was carefully chosen by both sides.
"This jury heard the evidence

and rendered a verdict after listening to legthy summations and arguments ably presented by counsel." away and retrieved a dozen times the young dog understood that when on a hunt all found bones belong to Sentence was passed in a heav-

on a hunt all found bones belong to ily guarded courtroom, with dethe master, and it's against the law puty marshals standing around the walls, behind the bench and at the And so another bird season rolls closed doors. As the defendants filed into the round—and this year there will be

a couple of young huskies who know more than they did last season, who will hunt faithfully for some man through 1942; and, if they are aspecially good and stondy who for guarding him, Max Fisher:
they "It looks like payday."
who Two Navy medical men were Two Navy medical men were porder winte in derial operations seated near the defendants, in the eight Allied planes were claimed back," it added. Allied and Axis reports agreed

to tell some canine youngster this event they needed medical aften year what to do when the birds tion.
won't either stand or fly, but just But the defendants remained stoical. After they were led back to the marshal's office, Mrs. Froehling wept. The prisoners awaited removal to the county jail where the men were expected to be held until the execution date.

In northern Illinois there are electric chairs at the Cook county jail where and at Statesille position.

jail here and at Stateville peniten tiary, The small courtroom was filled to capacity and some persons studing in line outside said they

The house or apartment isn't so had been there since 7 a.m.
warm as we would like. There's less wool in our new garments.

Throughout the reading of the judge's 1,200 - word statement the ...Wages are good, there is work for all, but prices are high, taxes are heavy, and we feel impelled to spend more for war bonds than we really can afford to save, so we can't buy the things we would like. For that matter, the stores do not have them anyway, so we couldn't leared:

have them anyway, so we couldn't clared: buy them if we did have the money. "Ther "There are no priorities on mercy. Like justice, it is the com-mon hope of all. In weighing the mercy plea for the women here In many ways already we are worse off than in the depth of the great depression. New privations are in sight. Yet now comes Thanksgiving Day and again we are supposed to put on a cheerful face and try to think up some bless. involved it has also been incum-bent on the court to consider the millions of suffering mothers of boys who are fighting this war for us, and the mothers who must toil in aluminum and powder plants or on production lines in constant danger from saboteurs, mothers who had equal rights to consideration with the prisoners here.
"The defendants by their acts have thus forfeited any right

consideration as mothers." Citizens Urged to Entertain **Soldiers**

The Soldier's Entertainment Committee of the Chamber of Commerce today appealed for local families to invite enlisted men sta-tioned the Southwestern Proving Ground to dinner Thanksgiving

Day.

Arrangements may be made by telephoning 810. Most of the group will be on duty during the day but will be free Thanksgiving night.

Local citizens are urged to get in touch with the Entertainment committee are seen as presible.

R. S. Watson, 42, of Hope Rt. 3, Dies

R. S. Watson, 42, of Hope route three, died at his home near the shapes, eighthicknesses, seven widths, Experiment station early today. Funeral services will be held Wed-500 possible combinations) have been nesday at Rocky Mound.

Violent Struggle for Air Control Over Tunisia As Allies Prepare Big Push

By the Associated Press
London, Nov. 24—(P)— A violently crupting struggle for air supre.

macy was fought over Tunisia and along the Axis Mediterranean shuttle route today while British and the route today while British and the route today while British and the ground in magnitude hourly. American forces on the ground were getting set for the all - out assault upon Tunis and Bizerte, once the enemy is driven from the

North African skies.

There was every sign that the arial conflict would be a hard one, for great fleets of German planes were gathering in the Medi-terranean theater and Axis reinforcements still were reaching Tu-nisia through the Allied gantlet. "The fight is going to be tough and longer than might be expect-

Bearing him out were reports from both sides telling of the mounting fury of the struggle.

The British Middle East comannounced at Cairo that at least three more large enemy planes, which may have been troop transports, were sent plunging into the sea yesterday off the Tunisian

coast. Coast.

Broadcasting what it called an Allied communique, the Morocco radio said that Allied air activity had grown "very intense" and that another violent bombing raid had been made on Tripoli, in Libya.

The Algiers radio said nine Axis planes were destroyed in an Allied raid on an enemy - he'd airfield in Tunisia and a Vichy broadcast told of heavy air raids last night by Germans and Italians on Algiers, Bone and Bougie, Alliedheld ports in Algeria.

A heavy bombing assault on Bizerte and strafing of grounded enemy planes at Palermo, the Sicilian base from which Axis rein-forcements are being flown to Tu-nisia, were carried out Sunday night by the RAF, the Cairo war bulletin said. An Axis merchant ship was sunk the same night by British torpedo planes southeast of Sardinia. Can-

a schooner of the Tunisia east coast vesterday The Middle East command said aerial activity was on a small scale yesterday over Libya, where the British 8th army has

non - toting British planes attacked

occupied and passed on west of Agedabia at the heels of Marshal Rommel's licked Africa Corps making for El Agheila. From Rome, the Italian high airdromes which led to the destruction of a considerable number of naissance clashes occurred yesterday in Libya and on the Tunisian forced the British and Americans border while in aerial operations to transfer their airdromes further

cluding a destroyer, heavily dam-The general picture in Africa was improved greatly by the announced adherence of French forces at Dakar to Admiral Jean Daylor and the southward but an Allicd spokesman said there was no evidence

Enemy Landings on Quadalcanal **Unlikely-Knox**

—War in Pacific Washington, Nov. 24 —(P)— Secretary of the Navy Knox said today it was "very unlikely" that the Japanese were getting reinforcements to their troops opposing American forces on Guadalcanal in the Solomon islands

the Solomon islands. "It is possible but not probable," Knox told a press conference, "be-cause rigid United States patrols are working day and night." The Japanese have not been re-ported landing more troops on the embattled island since their great and unsuccessful drive almost two weeks ago to land huge forces and overwhelm the American defend-

ers of the airfield there.

Prior to the big push, the Jap-Prior to the big push, the Japanese had the method of feeding in an average of about 900 men every second night, landing them from cruiser - destroyer groups. It was this practice that Knox was asked about at his press conference and his answer clearly indicated a belief that at least for the time being the Lapanese troops the time being the Japanese troops on the island, principally to the westward of American positions, are virtually cut off from the rest of their forces in the northeastern

Knox said that the Americans meanwhile were continuing to widen their area of control, particularly by pressing back the en-emy forces on the American western front.

He confirmed that fighting has

been going on to the westward of Point Cruz, which is a little more than four miles beyond the air

The Berlin radio broadcast a DNE dispatch giving this German account of the situation in Tunisia:
"The activity of Axis forces in Tunisia is limited to securing the district occurring the district occurring the situation." From the extreme of this action on the west to the farthest point of action on the east flank at Te-tere, where a Japanese force of several hundred men was wiped out early this month, is a distance of approximately 16 miles, while which is the strongest by nature.
"A railway line leading along the depth of the American - held the Tunisian coast in a southern direction and roads leading into the area at the center around the air-field is about four miles. interior arc in Axis hands and make it possible to distribute all

This expanding territory, how-ever, is still less than three percent of the entire island of Guad-alcanal, officers at the secretary's conference brought out.

Knox was asked whether the objective of present operations was finally and completely to drive the Japanese out of the island, but conined himself to responding elimination of the enemy from Guadalcanal naturally had always been the American purpose.

Half of Jews in Poland Are **Ordered Killed**

London, Nov. 24 — (P)— The Polish government; in exile asserted today that Heinrich Himmler, Nazi Gestapo chief, had ordered the extermination of one half of the Jewish population of Foland by the end of this year and that 250,000 had been killed through September under that program. The statement said that those marked for extermination at any

marked for extermination at any

the car is sprinkled with a thick layer of lime or chlorine-sprinkled on a warrant order his deportation to Germany.

many during the war.

The Justice department declined to comment on this in line with its policy concerning enemy aliens.

Krebs is a native of Darmstadt, Germany, and is 37.

His book was entitled "Out of the Half of the best of the company and the declined that those who die of suffocation remain in the crowd side by side with those still living. Half of the people arrive dead at the destination. Those surviving are sent to special camps at Treblinka, Belzec and Sobibor. Once there they are added, were continuing to aid salvage collections by special group.

Hope Postoffice to Close Thanksgiving

The Hope Postoffice will be closed all day Thanksgiving, observing the first full holiday of the year, Robert Wilson, postmaster, an-nounced. There will be no city or nounced. There will be no city or rural deliveries and no window service. Mail will be dispatched and placed in boxes as usual.

Bulletins

Washington, Nov. 24 — (A)— The Navy reported today that America forces on Guadal-canal island in the Solomons had made further advances to the westward of their positions following night attacks on Jap-anese positions by American aircraft A communique said that Jap-

anese troops were active in the mountains southwest of the American - held airfield, but the nature of the activity was not announced. Whether the Japanese were attempting to flank American forces advancing along the coastal lowlands could not be

Axis Troops Reported Landing in Tunisia

London, Nov. 24 -(/P)- The Vichy radio said large formations of German and Italian troops landed today at the eastern Tunisian ports of Sfax

and Gabes.
The ports are key points along the coastal road between ...Tunis and Tripoli where Axis infiltrations against French re-sistance have been reported as the Germans sought to forge a nisian foothold and Libya. Gabes is midway between Tupls and Tripoli and Sfax is some 65 miles farther north.

Guard All Set for Toni Joe's **Sweetheart**

Lake Charles, La., Nov. 24-(A)-Lake Charles, La., Nov. 24—(P)— Law enforcement officers were ready today for Claude E. (Cow-boy, Henry, escaped Texas con-vict, if he should come here to try to spring his doomed wife from the Calcasiou parish jail.

"All necessary precautions have been taken," said Sheriff Henry Reid, Jr., when notified the 29-year-old convicted slaver had headed

old convicted slayer had headed toward Louisiana from a Texas prison farm where he escaped with companion yesterday.

State police of Southwest Louisi-ana and Southeast Texas as well as other officers were on the lookout for the pair who already had changed vehicles in their getaway.

Mrs. Annie Beatrice (Toni Jo) Henry, 26, thrice convicted for one of the most brutal crimes in Louisiana history, is to be electrocuted here Saturday for shooting to death J. P. Calloway of Houston, Texas. The nude salesman was killed as he knelt to pray for his life in a frozen rice field on St. Valentine's

day, 1940.
Mrs. Henry and a companion,
Horace Finnon Burks, also under
death sentence, had hitch-hiked a ride with Calloway and took his car, she said at one time, to use to rob a bank for funds to free her husband serving a 50 - year ceeding."

Last week she signed a confession that she pulled the trigger and a clemency plea is being present a clemency plea is being

she called it a "thrill slaying" such as a person "drunk, real drunk" might think was "smart." She said just before an August 10 She said just before an August 10 date with death, delayed while the United States supreme court decided the constitutionality of Louisiana's change from hanging to the layer that the German's and battling desperate forcements and battling desp electric chair, the thing she

and the second white woman ever to pay the supreme penalty. Henry and Clyde Byers, 23, serving seven years for robbery, escaped from the Central prison farm at Sugarland in a prison truck.
Later, O. C. Riggins of Houston
reported seeing them abandon the
truck, force the driver from another truck and drive off. Henry, an ex-prize fighter, was convicted in February, 1940, at Hondo, for killing Arthur Sinclair, a San Antonio policeman.

Scrap Metal **Drive Nets** 6 Million Tons the barren Kalmyk steppes and in other places the German dead were piled high around wrecked pillboxes.

New York, Nov. 24 $-(A^2)$ More than 6,000,000 tons of iron and steel to Germany.

The next step presumably will be immediately. Other times it waits to intern Krebs as an enemy alien, on a siding for days. "The people are packed so tightly that those who die of suffocation that those who die of suffocation that those who die of suffocation that those who die by side by side that those who die of suffocation the campaign. and other scrap for manufacture into tanks, ships, planes and guns

vage collections by special cooperation with the industrial metal

paigns, he explained, it was impossible to compile complete totals al-though the national average already is nearly 82 pounds for every

Vermont was second among the 18 states which had 100 pounds or more per capita, turning in 155.4 pounds per person with a total of 7,905 tons.

Washington State was third with 122,826 tons had an average of 141.5 pounds per persons. Nebraska which originated the scrap idea and started all over again came up with 80.993 tons or an average of 123.1 pounds per capita in its second or "official" cambidean sea as a potential menace. paign.

Other state reports, with pounds other state reports, with pounds per capita and total tonnage, as reported by the committee include: Illinois 122.4 pounds and 483,300 tons; Kentucky 113.2 and 161,013; Iowa 110.9 and 140,847; Texas 102.6 and 329,015 tons, Oklahoma 70.1 and 78,007; Louisiana 60.3 and 71,254; Missouri 54.8 and 103,596; Tennessee 41.5 and 60,507; Arkansas 19.8 and 19,300.

Gigantic Trap Already Cost Germans 50,000

-Europe

By EDDY GILMORE

Moscow, Nov. 24 — (P) — The jaws
of a double Russian offensive which battlefront reports said had bit deeply into the cold steppes west of the Don bend and cost the Ger-mans 50,000 dead and captured were closing steadily today upon the Nazis' whole Stalingrad sall

Despite desperate German resis tance in an effort to keep open a corridor of reinforcement or escape to the long - besieged Volga bas-tion, the Russians reported new gains to maintain their average of ix to 12 miles a day northwest of Stalingrad and nine to 12 miles-a

day southwest of the city.

The deepest reported penetration
was at Chernyshevskaya on the
Chir river, 125 miles west of Stalingrad and 75 miles west of Kalach, the railroad town on the Don bend which the Russians seized over the week-end.

Chernyshevskaya is some 40 miles southwest of Kletskaya, the Don river citadel 100 miles north-west of Stalingrad which the Nazis Serafimovich, 30 miles farther up

the Don.
Southwest of Stalingrad the Russians were pushing along the rail line which leads from Stalingrad across the bleak Malmyck steppes into the northern Caucasus. They reported driving on after taking Aksai in a 10 - mile advance from Abganerova, 40 miles southwest of Satlingrad. Satlingrad.

(The German high command apparently regarded the turn of the tide on the eastern European front as too great to conceal from its people, and a communique acknowledged that the German defensive lines had been penetrated. The communique said the Russians were attacking south of Stalingrad

they had penetrated late in the fall. Two infantry divisions were declared routed there and the Russians were said to be advancing of

a 12-mile front

Frontline dispatches indicated that the Germans were using rein-forcements and battling desperate Several tens" of German and ed most was a letter from her hus-other Axis divisions were reported band. About that time he attempted entrenched and fortified in position a break but was captured within tions guarded by minefields and the prison walls. the prison walls.

Mrs. Henry will become the first woman electrocuted in the state, or six lines deept.

given but many hundreds more grans were reported killed.

In local action at Tuapse in the Black sea sector, the Russians said they repulsed a German counteratively on the research. terattack on a recently won posi-tion and then dislodged the Hitlerites from a fortified point. Only light action was reported in the Caucasus southeast of Nalchik. To the northwest near Leningrad, a Soviet detachment was credited with the capture of an enemy strong point and nowhere along the front lines was there any indication that the Axis forces had

Details of the advances were not

made any gains.
A front line dispatch from south of Stalingrad said that in some places the white flag fluttered over

Long columns of captives were reported moving east, shivering in the cold. Many of the Germans and Rumanians marched with heads and bodies swathed in shawls and blankets.

By ROGER D. GREENE Associated Press War Editor Allied offensives jarred Hitler-Hirohito & Co., further off balance on every front in World War II

today.
While the Russians steadily tight. ened a gigantic trap against 300, 000 to 400,000 Nazis in th eStalineration with the industrial metal scrap drive of the war production board.

Because of these continued camcorridor along the Mediterranean coast from Libya to Tunisia in

North Africa.
In the far Pacific, American and Australian tropos under Gen. Doug-Kansas led the states in today's las MacArthur furiously attacked compilation with 158.7 pounds for every citizen, or a total of 142,874 resistance on the Papuan peninsula in Naw Chinas and H. S. Army in New Guinea, and U. S. Army heavy bombers binsted Japanese invasion forces amid the ruined

temples of Mandalay, Burma, These were the highlights in 24 hours of unbroken good news for the United Nations on the world's far-flung battlefronts, with the picture further brightened ty the anand by a diplomatic pact eliminating French Martinique in the Carribbean sea as a potential menace to the western hemisphere.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull said in Washington that as a result of an agreement reached with Admiral Robert, French high commissioner at Martinique there was

missioner at Martinique, there was not likely to be any necessity for American occupation of French On the Libyan desert front, Brita

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kar to Admiral Jean Darlan, now **Union Service** Program Is

Announced The Rev. Millard W. Baggett, pastor of the First Christian Church will deliver the sermon at the Union Thanksgiving service here Thursday the Rev. W. P. Graves, pastor of the First Pentecostal Church and program chairman, announced to-

The program for the Union service follows: Doxology.

Invocation—Rev. J. E. Hamill, Hym "All Hail the Power", Scripture—Rev. Thomas Brew-

Prayer-Rev. Robert B. Moore

Offering.
Special Musical selection.
Sermon—Rev. Millard W. Baggett. Benediction—Rev. W. R. Hamil-

Junior Red Cross Drive Successful

Reporting on the progress of the Hempstead County Junior Red Cross drive, Miss Elsie Weisenberger, chairman, announced Saturday that she had received \$54.11 and other schools had promised to re-port early next week.

Washington School averaged ten cents per pupil and donated \$11.17. Guernsey School averaged nine cents per pupil and donated \$18.83. acter during the last five years Fulton School averaged one cent per pupil and donated \$3.00. Blevins and Spring Hill School have contributed fifteen dollars so far but the drive is not complete in

these schools. Rocky Mound School was previously listed having an average of 25 cents per pupil and donating

made by the sttel industry.

Lt. Harry Segnar, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Segnar of Hope, has been promoted to the rank of

Jan Valtin Is Arrested by Federal Agents

Washington, Nov. 24 — (A) — Attorney General Biddle announced today that Richard Julius Herman Krebs, who wrote a widely - sold book in his experiences as an agent of the Gestapo and the OGPU under the name of Jan Valtin had been arrested near Rethel Conn been arrested near Bethel, Conn.,

Germany, and is 37.

Night". Krebs was arrested by immigration and naturalization service officers on a warrant issued by Commissioner Earl G. Harrison, after Biddle had approved a deportation order based on alleged violations of the 1917 and 1924 immigration acts. The violations were described as after once having been arrested and deported and after committing a crime (perjury) involving moral

turpitude.
The board of Immigration Appeals voted unanimously for the deportation order, the department said, after first denying Krebs' and that he was otherwise deport

Local Boy Promoted to First Lieutenant

Fine steel wire for bobby pins in tw shapes, eighthicknesses, seven widths, and a choice of four finishes (nearly 500 possible combinations) have been where he is a member of the bataldefinitely determined, there-

Free China Must Be Taken to Insure New Jap Empire





(This column, conducted as a daily feature by DeWitt Mac-Kenzie, war analyst, is written today by Glenn Babb. Mr. Mac-Kenzie; now in the Middle East zone, is expected to resume to-

BY GLENN BABB Japan can not win her "greater East Asia war" without defeating China. As long as Chiang Kai-Shek holds together his government in Chungking and his armies in the few provinces that surround the capital the Japanese program of conquest is incomplete. An increasing number of authorities believe that the Japanese already have achieved the outer limits of the space they set out to make their own, but without the heart, that unconquered western and the southewstern half of China, their new empire remains pretty much a hollow shell. If they could gain that there is reason to believe, would be content merely to ight to hold what they already

have grabbed, leaving India, Si-beria and Australia alone. So don't be surprised if the next major undertaking of the Japanese army is another effort to knock China out of the war. A similar prediction was made in this column six months ago, w hen many prophets were talking about India and Siberia, and the record shows that the only large scale campaign undertaken by the Mi-kado's land forces (as dist in-guished by the overseas thrusts at Midway, in the Alcutians and the southwest Pacific Islands) during the half year was the campaign in Chekiang and Kiangsi which ended in costly futility. For five years and four months now Japan has been trying to bend China to her will. She can not cease trying with

out admitting that the whole program of conquest has failed. Evidence is mounting that Bur-ma and the adjoining Chinese provice of Yunnan will be one the war's major battlefields this winter. The question remains whether the choice of time and place will be made by Japan or the United Nations. Generals Wavell and Stilwell hav emade no secret of the Allies' determination sooner or later to retake Burma, scene of last spring's disaster which S t i l-well called "humiliating as Hell." Before the Monsoon comes again next May to draw its streaming, humid curtain over the battlefields that campaign may have begun. But will the Japanese wait? Can they afford to wait?
The logic of Japan's strategical

situation calls loudly for action in southeastern Asia. This might take the form of a preventive thrust into India a towheaded drive from Burma and French Indo-China into Yunnan to occupy all that province, or even an all out attempt to destroy Chiang Kai-Shek's armies, attacking from the east as well as the south. It might well begin as the second and develop into the third. The Chinese are well aware of this danger and Chungking's military spokesman only a few days ago told of a new and formidable Japanese concentrations in Indo - China and in the Burm border which the invaders

China's chief port, probably was changed. aimed to interfere with such concentrations.

It is entirely possible that thrust into Yunnan would be the Japanese way of forestalling an Allied drive into Burma from India, The Tokyo high command might be preparing ultimately to trade Burma for Yunnan, fighting only delaying actions in the former while seizing the latter and closing China's back door even tighter than now. Burma's chief strate-gical value to Japan was that its conquest closed the one effective avenue of Allied help to China. But conquest of Yunnan will achieve the same purpose and at the same time bring Japanese armies with-in striking distance of the heart of Free China.

Look at it from the standpoint

of Japan's problem of logistics. To supply her armies in Burma and Yunnan she must send ships all the way around the Malay penin-sula, nearly 5,000 miles from her home bases and nearly 3,000 from her main south China base at Hongkong. Now if her Burma-Yunnan armies could be supplied by way of Haiphong and the long unused railway armies could be supplied by way of Haiphong and the long unused railway through northern Indo - China and Yunnan to Kunming, the distance from Hongkong could be cut by some 2,000 miles. In proportion to Japan's dwindling supply of shipping that would be again com-parable to that which the United Nations hope to achieve by open-ing up the Mediterranean and making the long haul around Africa to

BACKACHE, LEG PAINS MAY BE DANGER SIGN Of Tired Kidneys

If backache and leg pains are making you missrable, don't just complain and do nothing shout them. Nature may be warning you that want filters need attention.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking series saids and prisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 what a way to be a subject of the chief was a subject of the chief and the chief was a subject of the chief and the chief

tiocd. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

If the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters don't work well, poisonous waste matter stays in the blood. These poisons may start nagging hecksches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of peop and energy, getting up nights, swelling, putliness under the eyes, headaches and dizzinass. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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Market Report

National Stockyards, Ill., Nov. 24

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(AP)— (U. S. Dept. Agr.) — Hogs.
5,000: fairly active: uneven; yeights over 180 lbs steady to 10 ower than average Monday; light-15,000; fairly active; uneven; weights over 180 lbs steady to 10 lower than average Monday; light this coupled with increased trade er weights 15—25 lower; sows weak buying littled values to the highest to 10 lower; bulk good and choice 170-290 lbs 13.55-60; top 13.65; mostly for 180-210 lbs; 140-160 lbs 13.10-50; 100-140 lbs 12.50-13.20; levels of the day just before the close. sows 13.15—60; mostly 13.25—50. Cattle, 5,000; calves, 1,500; Cattle, 5,000; calves, 1,500; around 40 loads steers offered mostly medium and good; a few deals steady at 14.25 down; othe calsses opening fully steady; medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings 11.50—13.75; common and medium cows 9.00—11.00; medium and good sausage bulls 19.75—12.00

13.50. 3,000; receipts include around three decka yearlings; bal-ance mostly trucked - in native lambs: market not established.

good and choice vealers 16.25; medium and good 13.75-15.00; nomi-

nal range slaughter steers 10.75—16.50; slaughter heifers 9.50—15.75;

stocker and feeder steers 9.00-

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Nov. 24--(P)--Scat-tered stocks in the peace category managed to acquire further modest plus signs but many market leadlean toward minus territory.

While pressure against armament issues relaxed to a certain extent on the idea they may have seen oversold even considering the good news from Russia, Africa and noteworthycomeback . Tax offerings again wereahandicap.Steels reated at the start and, near the close, losses of freations to a were widely distributed and there were isolated casualties of as much as 3 or so.

Dealings generally were on the sluggish side although sziealbe blocks of low-priced stocks helped put the 5-hour volume a tabout 600,000 shares.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Chicago, Nov. 24 —(AP)— The grain market developed a rising ency today largely on the strength f small demand coming from mills and other cereal processors as well as dealers covering previous short

sales.

A sharp rally in cotton, weakness of which depressed grains yesterday, helped to encourage

Wheat closed unchanged to 1-4 higher compared with yesterday, December \$1.25, May \$1.28 7-8; corn 1-83-8 up. December 83 1-4-3-8, May 88 12; Oats 3-8-1-2 high er; rye 18-14 up; soybeans 12-3-4 lower.

Rye prices were up as much as a cent at one time. Traders said short coverning was most active

No. 2 yellow 83 1-2-84 1-2; No. 3 white 1.08, lod No. 2 yellow 83 1-2. Oats, sample grade mixed, 46 1-2.

Dec — High 1.25 1-4; low 1.24 7-8; close 1.25. May — High 1.29 1-8; low 1.28 5-8; close 1.28 7-8. CORN:

- High 83 1-2; low 82 7-8; close 83 1-4-3-8. May — Hig close 88 1-2. - High 88 3-4; low 82 78:

POULTRY AND PRODUCE had cut off the Axis route of eschicago, Nov. 24 — (P)— Poultry, cape near the Libyan - Tunisian seized last spring.
Sunday's punishing American air hens, young, under 18 lbs 36: 18—23 lbs 35: old 32; other prices un-

unchanged.

NEW YORK COTTON New York, Nov. 24 (A)— Cotton utures regained their equilibrium today and advanced \$1.50 a bale Liquidation tapered off and aggressive trade buying to fix prices against government textile orders was attracted by the recent de-

Late afternoon values were 85

Our Daily Bread (Continued From Page One)

Our sons, our husbands, our

brothers and our friends are away from home, a few dead and more facing death. Their sons, husbands, brothers and friends already were dead—one out of two of them—dead for lack of the food, clothing, shelter which the most under-privileged family in America possesses. Yet the Pilgrims thought up the dea of giving thanks all by themselves, without benefit of president-

sidered gratitude toward God, to-ward our forefathers, toward the ward our forefathers, toward the rich land they won for us and the reedoms they established for us. We should find it easy, even in

such a year as this, to be genuinely thankful that we have inherited blessings of democracy that are worth preserving at far greater price than any that we may have to pay in this war.

the Middle East unnecessary. This would be true whether the Japanese made their stand against General Wavell's Indian army on the line of the Irrawaddy or along the upper Salween and Mekong. The two latter now bar Japan's eastward way into Yunnan; they may become her chief western line of defense if she has to abandon Burma. Japan's shipping shortage is becoming dangerous; she may well decide she must shorten her ines somewhere.

This Yunnan may become the Allies' chief danger spot in the next few months. If it is lost China the will be much closer to a knockout and the United Nations will be in danger of losing their only battle for continental operations against Japan unless and until Russian enters the Pacific War.

Futures closed \$1.10 to \$1.65 bale higher: Dec—Opened 18.02; closed Jan-Opened 18,11; closed 18,30N Mch-Opened 18,190 closed May-Opened 18.14; closed 18.22-23. July-Opened 18.03; closed 18.22-23.

Oct—Opened 18.06; closed 18.23-24. Middling spot 20.01N — Up 31. N—Nominal.

Gigantic Trap

ish headquarters reported tha tGen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's vic-torious Eighth army had driven 100 beyond Bengasi to occupy Agedabia in swift pursuit of Nazi Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's

fleeing columns. Agedabia lies only 70 miles from the El Agheila defile. a 30-milebetween marshy deep passage micksands and the sea, where Rommel is expected to attempt a last-ditch stand.

dispatches said British advanced forces "maintained con-tact" with Axis rearguards on the ing for cover in the brush. road to El Agheila and occupied the Gialo oasis, south of Agedabia, which the enemy had also abandoned in their headlong flight to the

On the Tunisian front, a broadcast from American - occupied Morocco said American, British and French troops were not attacking Axis positions in the northern region of the colony - presumably around the big naval base at Bizerte - and declared the fighting was growing "more and more vio-Allied headquarters said tersely

that the investment of Axis fortifications was proceeding "according Dispatches reporting that six

more enemy troop transports were shot down over the Mediterranea en route from Italia nSicily to Tunisia indicated that Adolf Hitler was desperately seeking to fein-force his garrisons at Bizerte and An Allied headquarters spokes

fleets of planes in the Mediterranean area and declared:
"The fight is going to be tough and longer than might be ex-

man said Hitler was massing great

Previously, Hitler was reported to have rushed 1,000 planes and approximately 40 divisions — perhaps 600,000 troops — from the Russian front and other sectors of Nazi-conquered Europe to bases along the northern shores of the Mediterranean.

While definite information was lacking, observers said Hitler had probably doubled or even tripled the original Axis garrison of 10,000 troops in the North African colony, which lies between American-held Algeria and Italian Tripolitania.

Conflicting reports obscured the situation along the Gulf of Gabes, immediately below the narrow Axis-held coastal strip between Bi- here with us and asks questions zerte and Tunis.

One report said French troop's had cut off the Axis route of esfrontie, while the German radio asserted that the entire Tunislan coast down to Tripoli was still in Axis hands. the Soviet front, Russia's

great five-day-old offensive to re-lieve Stalingrad and trap the Gerl Butter, receipts 265,007; firm: lieve Stalingrad and trap the Gerl man siege armies scored sharp new gains overnight on both flanks of the pincers movement.
Soviet dispatches said the Ger-

mans had lost a staggering total of 50,000 killed and captured in the first four days of the drive and now faced disaster as the Red armies cut deep behind them, Driving roughshod over crumbling Nazi defenses, the Russians were reported to have scored new

12-mile advances both north and south of Stalingrad, capturing five strategic towns and thrusting one spearhead to a point 125 miles northwest of the Volga metropolis.

the verge of a clear-cut rout. In a single surprise attack, Soviet dispatches said, the Russians caught the Germans unprepared and killed 1,000 of them. Red Army headquarters said 12,000 Nazis were killed and 11,000 captured in yesterday's operations, raising the four-day total to 26,000 dead and

crs reported that hard - driving American troops in New Guinea had everwhelmed Japanese maal proclamation.

We should have no difficulty, once a year, in drumming up a little conand surged forward two miles to attack Buna Mission, a mile from the big enemy coastal bast at Buna. Dispatches said the Japanese were fiercely resisting at Buna,

apparently chosing to die rather than surrender. Pinned against the coast, the Japanese appeared to be on their last legs as Australian troops moved into Gona, the enemy's other main base, 12 miles above Buna, and began mopping up the garrison there

On Guadalcanal island, in the lower Solomons, the Navy reported that U. S. Army troops and Marines were pushing steadily west-ward from Henderson air field, slowly driving the Japanese baci toward the northern tip of the island, while Ailied planes violently strafed the enemy.

Crack of the Week

Discussing his favorite sports figure, Lieut, Comm. George Haas, Jimmy Conzelman, the Chicago Cardinals' coach, moans: "You'd think a guy would be satis-fied either to be rich or ow nihe Bears. That Halan has every-

The oil refining capacity of the United States is 4,7000,000 barrels daily.

The last of the first the

Doolittle Is No Brass Hat, All Men Like Him

By WES GALLAGHER

Allied Air Force Headquarters in North Africa, Nov. 24—(A)—That little man who is everywhere" is the best way to describe the hero of the Tokyo air raid, Maj. Gen. James H. (Jimmy) Doolittle, who is master-minding the American air drive against the Germans in funisia with the 12th Air Force. operations In a growded on a windswept airport, the major in charge of plane construction coiced his heartfelt frustration.

"I wish the general would stay put long enough for me to talk to im." the major said. "If he's here he never stands still but paces all over the place and I have to talk and run at the same time.

"If I turn my back he's off to Oran or Algiers or Casablanca or somewhere else before I can get hold of him," Just at that moment a door at

one end of the operations room flung open. A slight figure wearing a floppy flier's cap and a leather jacket, with only a silver star on his collar to set him apart from a dozen second lieutenants around him, strode in. He took a quick glance at the operations board stuffed with names and types of airplanes, and went out the other

ing for cover in the brush.
"There he goes again," moaned
the major. "I've got to catch him.
Goodbye." loodbye. Nervous, energetic Doolittle has een the one-man gang of this air

verk in London, He keeps a Flying Fortress at his disposal 24 hours a day, the same one recently shot up by the Germans, and spends as much time in the air as on the ground.

force he created in a month's secret

Although his Fortress is used as a passenger plane, he keeps two bombs in the bay "just in case he sees something to drop them on "And Jimmy's just the guy who will see it," one of his staff as-"The rest of us could fly for months and see nothing, but he turns up something."

Doolittle leaves all office work

to his staff, putting in a lightning appearance as the only general without an aide although he is enlitled to one. He does everything imself, dushing hundreds of miles taking a taxicab from one headquarters to another in London or Washington, He flew into the Oran airdrome

in his Fortress minutes after his fighters and ground troops had cap tured the field, with a battle going on a short distance away.
Whenever contined to his office by work, he paces around like a tiger in a cage, talking as he walks.

The young fighter and bomber pilots who must be part cynics where what they call the "brass are concerned, worship him and Doolittle shows a decided preference for the company of young airmen, wandering about at every opportunity, asking qu learning the boys by name. asking questions,

"That's Jimmy one young pilot with a thick southern accent, "He comes right down and calls me by my first name. We're ready to go any place he wants to lead us anytime

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hat they were linked up with Axis forces at Tripoli, The spokesman said the Axis troops were extending south along a gulf, which was presumed in London to be the Gulf of Gabes

where enemy landings were made A Berlin broadcast claimed the Axis threw the Allies back to the coast at an undisclosed point in the south, taking a railway junetion. The only junction in that area is Graiba, on the coastal rail live

running south from Tunis to Gabes.
The German news agency DAB
also claimed that an important railway junction in the frontier German losses in men, material and territory suggested that the Nazis had either been badly weak-ened by withdrawals or were on these was no confirmation of these area between Algieria and Tunireports.

The British Eighth Army, driving Field Marshal Rommel's broken army across Libya, reported yes terday that progress was being made "in the neighborhood of Age-labia." some 70 miles from labia." some 70 miles from Agheila, where Rommel may de cide to make a stand against the triumphant British army.
Field Marshal Rommel's forces

have evacuated the Gialo oasis, south of Agedabia, and were reoc. ted cominging their withdrawal loward El Agheila, where a stand may be made. The oasis was occupied by British units.

British advance forces maintained contact with the rearguards of the retreating Axis forces on the road to El Agheila, the communique said.
Air activity over the Libyan des-

ert was on a small scale yester-day, the communique said, but torpedo aircraft were active over the Mediterranean and an enemy mer hant vessel was reported hit amidships and sunk southeast of Sar

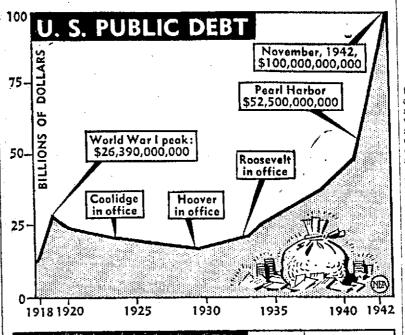
State Defense Road Jobs Contracted

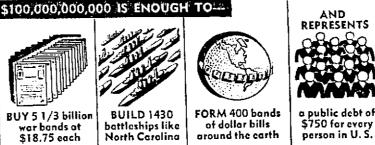
Little Rock, Nov. 24 — (P) —Apparent low bids on four defence access road and bridge projects submitted to the highway commission today totaled approximately \$190,000 Contracts were to be awarded

this afternoon.
The jobs and the apparent lows Prairic, Lonoke and Arkansas counties — 8.6 miles of gravel surfacing and seven timber bridges on access roads to axuiliary landing fields for the Stuttgart air force

school. First alternate, D. F. Jones

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Construction Company, Little vern, \$96,984.

Sportsmen **Urge Closing Spring Season**

Little Rock, Nov. 24—(P)—Secretary T. A. McAmis of the Game and Fish Comission said today several unnamed sportsmen groups were urging the department to sponsor legislation at the 1943 general assembly for closed seasons on all game fish during the early

spring spawning season.

Black bass is the only game fish now protected by a closed season. The season runs from March 16 through May 15. McAmis said spawning seasons

for other game fish — crappie bream and perch-came about the same time. The game and fish secretary an-

nounced that the department was working out plans with the department of interior fish and wildlife service and Arkansas commercial fishermen for establishing commercial hatcheries for buffalo fish in the St. Chartes - DeWitt area of Arkanses county. Buffalo is Arkansas No. 1 commercial fish, he

He said four points in this area were being considered for hatcheries. Private funds would be used to construct the hatcheries with the tate and federal wildlife agencies offering technical and supervisory

Waves in the sea reach to depths of several hundred feet.

bridge on the alumina plant orth road, S. M. Dixon, Warren,

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Thanksgiving Turkey To Cost About \$6

Washington, Nov. 24 —(A)—A good turkey will cost the average housewife about \$6 this

Thanksgiving.
The Office of Price Administration made this estimate lo-day checking over its schedule maximum prices for turkeys which vary with different qualities and different localities throughout the country, depending partly on the closeness of a community to the turkey producing areas.

Top quality birds will cost

between 46 and 55 cents a pound in the larger cities.

U. S. Bombers Strike Again at Mandalay

New Delhi, Nov. 24 -(P)--Heavy bombers of the United States Army Air Forces, striking at Mandalay of for the second time in three days, hit a big railway repair shop and showered bombs on railway sidings and freight cars on Sunday, a com-munique said today.

British bombers raided a Japanese airdrome at Meiktila. Burma, south of Mandalay last night and, in addition to bombing the runays, started large fires in other parts of the airdrome said a British communique.

Tulsa, Okla. (P)— In the city di-rectory you will see him listed as Bernard A. Lemser, The telephone recently Mr. Lemser found that for 30 years he has been going by the groung name. It should be August Carl conser. Jr., he says, and he's chang- ing all his registrations,





JUST ONE OF THE WAR-TIME TASKS MISSOURI PACIFIC Meeting the transportation demands of a nation at war

Missouri Pacific Lines and their more than 40,000 employes are proud of the way they are responding to Uncle Sam's request to "pass the ammunition." Yet the movement of actual ammunition is but a small part of the gigantic war task this railroad is performing. Day and night Missouri Pacific Lines' trains carry soldiers

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begin to fight," sagely remarked the Director of the Office of Defense Transportation. And without adequate rail transportation the civilian population could not be kept clothed or fed, nor homes, stores and factories be kept heated. There is nothing formidable looking about trains. Yet

they are proving one of the nation's most effective weapons - weapons that are playing an important part in the grim business of crushing the Axis.

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Daisy Dorothy Heard, Editor

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Coming and Going

tives and friends in the city.

Miss Mary Delia Carrigan will arrive Wednesday from Little Rock to spend Thanksgiving with rela-

Mrs. H. Ben McRae of Fresno, Calif. is the holiday guest of rela-

Mrs. George Peck is visiting relatives in Lewisville this week.

Mrs. S. E. Gilliam and children.

Stuart Spragins of Little Rock will be the Thanksgiving Day guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C.

After a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Porter, Mrs. Walter Briggs and son have returned to their home in Monroe, La.

Mrs. J. E. Schooley and daughter, Mrs. Thelma Moore and little Miss Mary Lou Moore, and Mrs. Blanche Cannon have returned from Waxachachie, Texas, where they

Mrs. Mack Turner and Miss Mary

Nell Carter of Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia, will

arrive Wednesday for the holidays

Mrs. William R. Parsons of Lit-

tle Rock is the guest of Lt. Parson's sister, Mrs. M. S. Bates, and Mr

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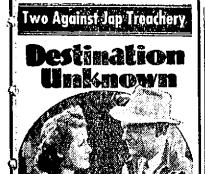
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Social Calendar

Tuesday, November 24th () The Women's Society of Christian Service and the Board of Stewards of the First Methodist church will honor the new pastor, the Reverend Robert Moure, and family at a re-ception to be given at the church tecreational rooms, 7:30 p. m. All journeys and friends of the church are invited.



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at the home of the leader, Mrs.
Cline Franks, immediately after
school. Scouts are asked to bring
scissors for Red Cross work.

St. Marks Auxiliary Meets at Home of Mrs. C. C. Spragins Members of the Ladies Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal church were entertained at the home of Mrs. C. C. Spragins Monday afternoon with a large number of mem-

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lester will have as guests for the week Miss Beryl Henry of Denson. Arkansas, Edward Lester of Hendrix college, Conway, and his school friends. Walter Trulock III of Pine Bluff and Woodson Mosley of Forrest City. Miss Nettie Brodgen led the nfternion study and was assisted by Mrs. Clyde Hill and Mrs. McRae Andrews. Red Cross work was completed by members attending.

During the social hour the hos-Mrs. J. S. Ragland and Mrs. Nal Williams of Texarkana spent Sun-day in the home of their sister, Mrs. C. C. Spragias, and Mr. Spraggins. tess served tea with dainty cookies.

Production Rooms to be Closed

Thursday and Friday
In observance of Thanksgiving, the Production rooms for the Hempstead county chapter of the American Red Crass will be closed Thursday and Friday, it was an-Marjory Ann and Bobby, of El Dorado and Mrs. William Clark of Atlanta, Ga., were guests during the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. R. M.

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nounced today by Mrs. C. D. Lester, production chairman. The surgical dressing unit locat-Good News on Today's War Map ed in the Production rooms will also be closed the two days of this week; however Mrs. O. L. Reed, chairman, asked all surgical dress-



Bates this week. Lt. Parsons is stationed with the United States Army in England.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hanes of Monahan, Texas are here for a visit with Mrs. D. H. Lipscomb,

stiended the funeral of Mrs. Schooley's and Mrs. Cannon's sister, Mrs. Dave Goodlett, Mrs. Goodlett will be remembered as Miss Hattle Smith by a number of PFC Archie Smith of Fort Ord, Calif. is spending his furlough with his mother, Mrs. Birdle Smith, and other relatives and friends.

> Miss Ruby McKee has returned from Little Rock where she was a delegate to the grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. While there she was appointed grand Martha of the group.

Factory Pressman Rates 'Best-Paid'

Akron, O. (AP)-In this year's list of "best-paid authors," the name of Paul Eckler, pressman at a B. F. Goodrich plant, should be up amor the leaders. For Paul gets \$44.45 a word. At east, that's the per-word rate represented by the \$400 check ne got for one ninc-word sentence.

Nine words were all he needed to lay before the laber-management 'suggestion-box" committee an idea for speeding war production. The committee figured the idea was worth \$400 on the basis of indicated savings in man-hours and increase in pr

Alaska Acts To Save Caribou

Fairbanks, Alaska (#) — Seeking to revent caribou going the way of the suffalo, the Alaska game commissing s paying special attention to ,"car-bou crossings" on Alaska's few alghways, Agents reported that easy nunting near such a crossing resulted in 57 killings in two days, eight of the animals being shot only for sport and left to 1ot.

Washington By JACK STINNETT

Washington—The horn of plenty isn't running over any more. This nation, which a year or so ago was worrying about surpluses of food products, and dishing out bonuses to keep the farmers from productions of the production of the production of the state ages right now and those who are really in the know don't like the prospects for 1943-44 too much.

This is no scare article. But the picture in farm production is changing so rapidly that government officials who only a few weeks ago were taking the banana shortage, sugar, meat and coffee rationing in their stride, are beginning to become truly alarmed.

Recently, certain agricultural experts were pooh-poohing the possibility of a shortage in milk and dairy products in 1943. Today those same men will tell you that at existing prices, with increasing demands that are sure to come, continued raids on experienced farm labor and the deterioration of unreplaceable machinery, short-ages of dairy products in 1943 is

It is difficult to get any farm experts who have seriously studied the figures with one eye on that military force of nearly 10,000,000 men, to declare there won't be shortages of almost everything next year. The one food crop most often excepted is cereal grains.

That exception does not include corn, and corn is just as good an example as any to illustrate how deficiencies can occur in one sea-

The Department of Agriculture asked the corn farmers this year to plant 92,000,000 acres. Our needs were set at 2,800,000,000 bushels. The farmers were able to plant only 89,000,000 acres. But because of an unusually good growing season the farmers harvested 300,000,000 bushels more than requirements. If this had been just an average growing season. just an average growing season, we would have harvested only 2,390,000,000, or a half a billion bushels short of requirements.

Next year, the farmers are being asked to plant 95,000,000 acres of corn. If they could get in only 89,000,000 acres with this year's labor, machinery and ideal weather conditions, how are they going to beat it next year and what assur-ance is there that next year's per-acre harvest will be anything like

The demands on farm production are spiralling to dizzy heights.

Think what it will be for the armed forces alone next fall and winter when 8,000,000 or so hungry men are wolfing about twice as

RAF bombs Stuttgart, and Italian cities. (2)—The Allies gain in Tunisia; (3)—Also Libya; (4)—The Russians take the offensive north and south of Stalingrad.

much food daily as they ever ate before in their lives.

U. S. MARINES LEARN THE ART OF MAYHEM

Honolulu -(AP) -- Sun - bronzed Marines in Pearl Harbor are learning to figt with their bare hands—and to "fight for keeps." Picked Leathernecks are attending outdoor classes in jiu-jitsu where no holds are barred and and where third-degree mayhem is a daily occurrence.

Marine Corps officers believe jiu-jitsu may become invaluable in guarding against sabeteurs at navy yards. That envision also the possbility

that Marines may be called upon to resort to such tactics in hand-to-hand fighting in jungle combat and in inifftration of enemy lines.

The only U. S. Forest Products Laboratory in the country is lo-cated at Madison, Wisconsin.

Fame Of Great Artists Is Rather Petty Los Angeles (P) - Georgia Petty

the man who draws those lightly clad girls for magazines nad advertisers, has a joke on his alma mater, the Chicogo Art Institute. In a \$30,000 survey of art in high

schools, he says, the Rockefeller Foundation asked among other things, "Who is your favorite artist?" The witner was not one of the old masters but George Petty.

As a result, one of the Petty girls had to e hung in the instate in an exhibition giving results of the sur-

CAT FIGHTST BICYCLE Duncan, Okla. (AP)- P. L. Wilbur

vas pedaling his blke down the street when a cat disputed the right-of-way with him. Wilbur wound up in a heap, with cat fur clinging to the spokes and the frame of his bike.

Something in **Skin Destroys** Influenza Germ

By RENNIE TAYLOR

Associated Press Science Writer Berkeley, Calif., Nov. 23 —There is something in the human skin that quickly destroys the viruses of influenza which may be depos-ited on it, Commander Albert Paul Krueger, the Navy's chief influen-za research expert, reported today. But various kinds of commercial preparations used in the place of organisms, and ordinary household soap does only a partial job of destroying their power to cause disease, he said.

There are two lessons to gained from these findings, he said. First, there is little danger of influenza being spread from hand to hand or from hand to mouth. Hence, frequent washing of the chands does not help to protect the individual against this disease. 'Second, dishes washed by hand may spread the disease unless the dish water or the rinse water are

kept hot. Scalding heat is a prime killer of the flu virus. Ordinarily the hazard is small in places where dishes are washed by machinery and plenty of hot water and sterilizing chemicals in

addition to soap are used. The main danger, Dr. Krueger reported is in places where dishes are washed hurriedly by hand and large quantities of chemicals the dish water or rinse water are relied upon to do the sterilizing. These chemicals are very effective against many kinds of diseaes bac-teria but not again influenza

Since the mouth and nose are the only easy body entrances for the virus, the problem of dishes becomes significant, Dr. Krueger

He reported in the U.S. naval medical bulletin how the tests were made. The work was done by Navy Laboratory Research Unit No. which was mobilized months before Pearl Harbor and assigned to in-fluenza research, particularly the large scale testing of preventive vaccination. Dr. Kureger is head of the unit.

Virus solutions so strong that a teaspoonful would kill 500,000,000 mice were used. Volunteers washed and dried their hands to remove any foreign substance that might have interfered with the test. Then a few drops of the solu-

tion were placed in the hands. When the liquid part of the debosit has dried, a matter of a few minutes, the viruses were recovered and injected into mice. They failed to cause disease in the test animals. -Just what property of the skin ren-

dered these organisms impotent is not known. Dr. Krueger said there were several theories.

Administration Farm Policies **Are Criticised**

Little Rock, Nov. 24 — (A) harp criticism of the administration and its farm programs was voiced here by two agricultural leaders speaking before the Arkan-sas Farm bureau convention.

Cully A. Cobb, of Atlanta, Ga., president of the Ruralist Press and formerly with the AAA in Washington, said last night the administration reverses in the Nov. 3 election were caused the "widespread fear for the future of our Demo-cratic way of life."

"Government by dictator-ship was already in sight," before the election, he said, but expressed pelief now that the nation was returning to a two party system the traditional way."

Cobb urged that President Roosevelt aid in a "restoration of confi-dence" in government by halting the "scolding of the farmer" and "stamping out the plague of social reforms and collectivism in government programs."

Mrs. Roosevelt could help restore confidence, he said, by helping eli-minate social reforms from the programs and "frowning upon ac-tivities that make for bad relationships between our white people and our colored people."

Congress should curtail the powcongress should curtail the powers of government administrators by "spelling out" just what they cannot do as well as what they can do, he urged.

President Oscar Johnston of the National Cotton Council renewed his attacks on the farm securi-

ty administration and the National Farmers Union yesterday, saying that they were being used by the CIO "as a spearhead to drive a

labor wedge into agriculture."

He charged "the FSA is attempting to build a giant bureaucracy which can be used to prosecute a philosophy of state land socialism. Regional FSA Director A.D. Stewart, answering Johnston in a prepared statement, said the administration's objectives we'r

"based on true Democratic principles." He challenged Johnston to furnish "affidavits naming individuals in the administration whom he feels are guilty of the charges he has made."

dishwashing chemicals. Strong so-lutions of these clenasing agents were made and the virus was submerged in them, recovered, and then injected into mice. In many instances the animals came down





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Cook onion slowly in butter for 5 minutes. Add milk and cheese. Stir and cook over boiling water until cheese melts and mixture is smooth. Then add rice, celery, 34 teaspoon salt, thepepper and sage. Sprinkle inside cavity of chicken with remaining 1½ teaspoons salt, then fill with tice mixture. Sew edges of cavity together or secure with toothpicks laced with string. Rub outside of chicken with soft shortening. Place chicken on its side in shallow roasting pan, breast side down. Bake about 2½ hours in moderately slow oven (350° F.). Baste occasionally with drippings in pan. At end of half of baking period, turn chicken on other side and finish baking. Remove to warm platter. If desired, garnish with radish roses, bundles of celery strips wrapped in carrot slice, celery leaves and red jelly or cranberry stars on unpeeled orange slices as illustrated. Serves 6.

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Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER Wide World Features Writer

New York — There isn't much you can say in behalf of this war, but certainly it has brought about a new estimate of people in show business. Theater, night club. radio and movie folk have knocked themselves out to give service men themselves out to give service men few herpy memories. They have preformed in barracks and barns, armories and on board ship, and lift they have any complaints over had accounted any complaints over bpd acoustics or weak accompan-iment, very little is said aloud. They whould give their services

without complaint, you say. So do The control of the entertainers. One cutie-pie who warbles in a night club was invited to sing at a soldiers' party. She didn't want to, whined about her throat being bad. "Listen," said her manager, "you haul your carcass down there and like it. If we don't give benefits, there won't be any places to give benefits, when the shooting's over."

To the credit of the profession,

To the credit of the profession, that attiutde is most uncommon. The majority turn out for benefits with scarcely a question as to who is giving the party and why.
"Nothing's too good for soldiers,"
they say. "What time do you want me to come out?"

I doubt if the entertainers are giving anything away. The expres-sions on the tired faces before them responsive and eager to laugh at anything approaching humor, are high wages. The cahs rewards can come later, if at all. Certainly some cutertainers are becoming tremendously popular, and they won't be forgotten any more than Elsie Janis was forgotton. They are popular because they have become real people to many who knew them only as names; they have been seen and heard-and sometimes kissed!— and have

become real.

How real? Well, I saw a soldier come up to Vicki Vickee, the radio songstress, and become inarticulate. late: "Wow." he yelled, which is funderstandable because Vicki, a lucious black-haired girl, should be seen as well as heard. And an other, upon meeting Elissa Landi, said: "All my life I've wanted to kiss a movie star." Said Elissa, laughing: "Go ahead."

It is almost typical that in order

to make her appearance, had broken away from a birthday that day. Her father, an Allied Naval officer in that other warn't unhappy about it. He went along and had a swell time.

That Monday night canteen at the George Washington hotel, for men of the merchant marine, is proving immensely popular among those hardy customers who trans-port oil and food and munitions on the high seas. Moving spirits are Splvy, who deserts her own club that night, and Fred White, a press agent who sometimes siamazed by his own magnanimous feelings. The mariners need only to show identification papers to gain entry. If they have lost their paners in a torpedoing, the Coast Guard issue them a pass.

Rejected In Movie, **But** Drafted In Life

New York (P)—Robert W. Willey appeared in an Army movie as a boy 17 discharged from the Army because of his age. As a bugle blew retreat, he walked out of the camp, saying 'Guess I'll never be hearing that again." He spoke too soon. In real life 22, he's now a rookie at Camp Upton.

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Hollywood By ROBBI NCOONS

Wide World Features Writer Hollywood - This \$25,000 salary

limit has so many ramifications out here that it calls for a few more words. Serious words. After the decree originally sent

the town staggering around in cir-cles, and pay checks were withheld from the couple of hundred folks from the couple of hundred folks made Burkhart gasp.
who had already exceeded ther "\$25,000 after taxes" earnings, the on it. government relaxed that ruling and gave the go-ahead signal for the rest of 1942.

The brief period of uncertainty, however, gave a startling preview of what may be expected here when the measure takes full effect January 1. Three players went on rec-ord that they would not "work for nothing," and others so indicated informally.

There was Judy Canova, who awaited the pay-or-no-pay verdict before starting her new picture. There was Paulette Goddard who retired from a scheduled radio show because, at the time, the sponsor was forbidden to pay her salary. There was Franchot Tone, who declined to fulfill a verbal film

In each of these instances, the player indicated willingness to donate the entire proceeds to charity or to the government in taxes, which obviates any charge of "lack of patriotism" or non-cooperation. The objection was to leaving salary in the coffers of a producting company, where by the decree it had to remain.

In view of the supposed wealth

of movie stars, all this may seem of movie stars, all this may seem a joking matter to the average fan. And it has nothing to do with his luxuries, his big mansion, or his swimming pool. There seems to be a general acceptance of the wartime necessity for retrenchment—an acceptance already underlined by the new income tax bill before the \$25,000 limit was imposed.

But the actor, like every man,

the \$25,000 limit was imposed.

But the actor, like, every man, considers himself worthy of his hire. And beyond that, as an actor, he is aware of his profession's long history of struggle for recognition. He is instinctively suspicions of o deal, whereby his boss retains his salary and he is, denied the right to see the color of it, even though he must surrender it immediately in taxes or to charity.

charity. Comes 1943, and we are likely to see interesting developments as one big name after another collects his maximum and then faces the question of future "working for nothing," It could mean, unless Washington has an answer for it, he voluntary rotirement of many ourrently big earners, with a consequent shortage of "Big Money" pictures, and reverberations through the tax-baying entertainment world which could cost the Treasury millions of dollars in revenue besides the losses. On the inenue, besides the lossess on the individual stellar incomes.

Patches Come In Batches

White Station. Tenn. (P) — The customer wanted S. A. Burkhart to put six new patches on his tattered inner tube. But that wasn't what

Hold Everything



back, everybody-I'll get it with this grenade!"

By J. R. Williams



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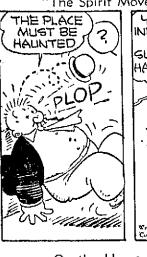


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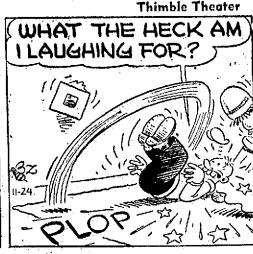


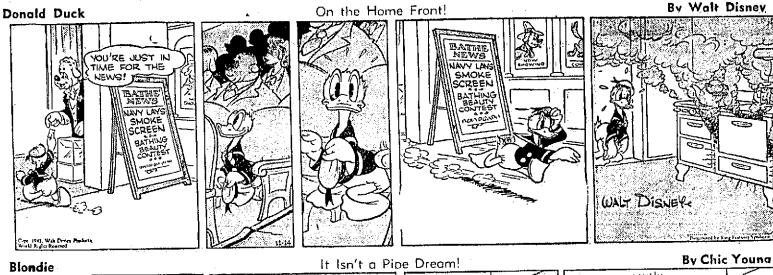


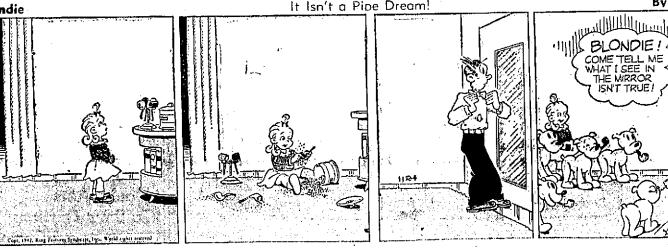
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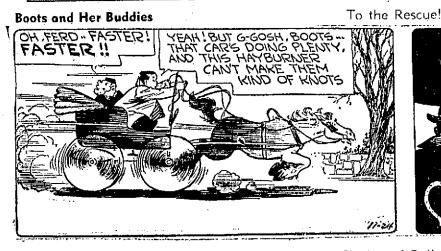




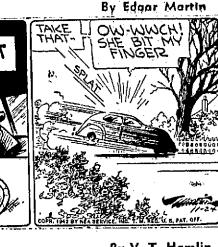




















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-President Roosevelt, in his Fireside Chat, April 28, 1942

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Tops List of

bounced from the unbeaten ranks by Auburn Saturday, 27-13.

Georgia Tech, runner - up to the Bulldogs in recent weeks and log-

After spilling Florida, 20-7, for its ninth straight wip, Tech was

its ninth straight win, Tech was listed first on 50 Hallots while 47 sports writers voted the lead to a Boston College club that transparents and Poston Halloweity 370, for

to 36 for Tech and wound up with

1,078 points, compared with 1,044

teams (first-place votes in paren-theses, points figured on 10-9-87

Tulsa (1)

Alabama Notre Dame Michigan

Sixty-eight of the 69 voters who

named Georgia first a week ago hoped off the Bulldog bandwagon

and Georgia slipped to fifth place in the standings as it started point-

and Tulsa, the only team in the

group besides Boston and Georgia Tech to boast an all - victorious

record, remained in sixth place.

11—U.C.L.A., 88; tie for 12—Santa Clara and Stanford, 72 each; 14—

Southern California, 23; 15—Wash-ington State (1), 29; tie for 16—

Auburn and Mississippi State, 20 each; 18—Texas, 19; 19— William and Mary, 17; 20—Minnesota, 16.

Saves Obits As Hobby

Hamilton, Mo. (AP)- Elmer Clark

collects obituaries as a hobby. He

started his collection in 1880 and now

has six big scrap books that bulge

with the stories of deaths in Hamilton.

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Wisconsin (2) 694
Georgia (1) 616

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1. Boston College (47)

Tennessee

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Vine Year Jinx Faces Tulsa on Turkey Day

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By EDWARD CURTIS

ATUISE Nov. 24—(A)—A ninc-year at the listening post: A William and Mary supporter can blame bireful bowl. however the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the control of the bireful for what there were the control of the bireful for what the control of the bireful for what the control of the bireful for what the control of the bireful for the bir

Southwest Conference game this Season was in 1933. Since then, the best the Golden Hurricane has been able to do were ties in 1934

and 1938. Henry Frnka, coaching his first of otherwise successful schedule by losing to Arkansas, 13-6.

A Frnka is doing his best to keep the undefeated, untied Hurricane from thinking about bowl possibilities until after the Arkansas game. "This Arkansas game," Frika, "is soing to be a very dif-ficult one."

ficultione."

"Tulsa's offense will be weakened by the loss of Dewey Ericksen, an insung, but splendid blocking back.

Ericksen suffered a dislocated shoulder in last Saturday's game against Creighton, Reserve Fullgainst Creighton, Reserve back Dell Taylor may be used to fill Ericksen's position.

Ernka's fear of the Razorbacks wasn' thelped any by Arkansas' de-feat of Detroit, 14-7, last week. It was Detroit's second loss of the The game will end the college

play of Glenn Dobbs, great passer and kicker; N. A. (Mole) Keithlet, a fine little breakaway runner; Wingback Cal Purdin; Center Charles Spilman, Guard Maurice Hair and End John Herriman. We want all those boys, who've ayed on two teams that lost to Arkansas, to end their careers here basketball teams that have only short trips between towns plan to travel via horse - drawn sleighs.

Their get their reward.

Their get their reward.

While bowl talk is taboo around center theater, is such a hockey the squad, the university band is fan that he slips into the garden to taking no chances on missing a trip. The band is sponsoring a

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bout between Lou Salica and Man-uel Ortiz for the bantamweight

too busy second-guessing the gen-

Steve Owen, master - mind of the New York football giants: "The best way to stop Don Hutson is to

let him catch a pass in the end zone. Then he can't catch another

the transportation shortage by get-ting a special street car to ride

day, but it had the usual escort of

motorcycle cops — just in case any Yale boys might try to have

some fun. . . and in eastern Idaho, basketball teams that have only

see the Rangers play the first per-

iod then dashes out to make his :30 appearance onstage.

Today's Guest Star Tommy Fitzgerald, Louisville Courier — Journal: "For pronun-

dance after Thursday's game to

raise money. For what? To pay the expenses of the band to a bowl

game. Where? Well. . .

the Yale bowl last Satur-

until they get the ball again."

One-Minute Sports Page The Harvard football team me

Quote, Unquote

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Thanksgiving Day.

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airport, Macon, Ga. . . . Besides playing golf in the low 70's, Andy pitches for the softball team, plays halfback on the football team, and won his first bout on the boxing uel Ortiz for the bantamweight team . . Jim Lansing, who would championship in the Mexico City have been Fordham captain this built ring. Jan. 1, is none other than Brig. Gen. Phelan. head of the New York Boxing Commission. Lon Stiner, Oregon State grid has lost a dozen players, including coach: "Monday morning quarter-Hovey Seymour and Bob Blood, backs aren't nearly as tough on within the past few weeks and losing coaches this year; they're Joe Martin departs for advanced training tomorrow. . . Instead of suffering a broken jaw in the Manhattan game, as some papers re-ported, Martin got nothing worse Clair Bee, Long Island U. basketball pilot: "Frnkly, I can't tell my freshmen apart. They all look alike — discouraging."

Today in Congress

By The Asso : me diffess

In recess.

Truman Contait ee continue investigation of lumber industry (9

House Considers Mexican Claims bill (meets 11 a.m.)
Ways and Means Committee stud-

ws (9).

Interstate committe e continues inquiry into rubber and petroleum situation (9).

poll taxes.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press
Baltimore — Alfred (Big Boy)
Brown, 243, Detroit, outpointed
Lou Brooks, 185 1-2, Wilmington,

Bobcats to Be **Gunning** for Zebras Thusrday

Smarting from a stinging defeat at the hands of Dierks here last weekend the Hope High School Bobcats are drilling with determination for the Thanksgiving Day game here with the Pine Bluff Zezras.

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The local boys are given an outside chance to defeat the Zebras this year. Pine Bluff has been kicked around all season by conference daround all season by conference to Georgia's Bulldogs, first-place to Georgia's Bulldogs, first-place thoice for the past month, were becaused from the unbeaten ranks

Big J. C. McCullough, bruising Hope back, is gunning for a couple of touchdowns which would prob-ably make him top-scorer of the any make nun top-score of the conference. The local lugger ranks third in the conference with 53 points, just one point behind Griffin of North Little and Turchi, Zebra quarterback.

The best the Bobcats have ever than Boston's Eagles.

done with Pine Bluff was a tie sev-eral years ago when the two teams started playing. Two years ago the Zebras came to Hope doped to defeat a hapless Bobcat team by several touchdowns. After being outplayed for three periods the Pine Bluff eleven edged out the Bobcats

mapeld Boston University, 37-0, for its eighth in a row. However, the Eagles drew 50 second - place votes 13-12.
The Pine Bluff team will arrive in Hope Wednesday afternoon, spending the night here. The Zebra for the Engineers.

The standings of the top ten mentor will bring 25 men.

The game has been designated homecoming for the Bobcats. Miss

homecoming for the Bobcats. Miss Mary Jo Dickinson has been selected queen and will pruside over the contest. Her maids will be Misses Dorothy Moore, Alice Jones, Mickey Boyette, Frances Bruner, Sara Jane Murphy, Nell June Byers and Rose Marie Hendrix.

By the Associated Press

Nobody but Hot Springs scems much interested in a post - Thanksgiving game so the state high school football championship will be decided on the gridirons Thursday unless Hot Springs persuades the conference's Dec. 12 session to go into the questions of schedules ing for its showdown with Georgia and forfeits.

Ohio State, a notch behind fourth-place Michigan last week, gained prestige and the Big Ten title by clipping the Wolverines, 21-7. With Unable to get Clarksville to play Senate
Pigeonholed bill to abolish state them an opportunity to make them an opportunity to make them an opportunity to make enough extra points to win the title. Hot Springs' Coach Milan Creight- on proposed yesterday that his Trojans play El Dorado's Wild gan dropped to ninth.

Wisconsin, in seventh place the wood to fourth tied for first place, in a play - off last two weeks, jumped to fourth game for the title.

El Dorado's Coach Guy B. Hays' answer last night was simple. If his boys win over Camden Thursday, they'll have the title, if they don't, they won't. Either way, he didn't see any point in again playing Hot Springs, which gave them they'll have the title, if they their only whiping.
Up in Fort Smith the Southwest

American and Times - Record have been urging that Fort Smith get into a "play - off" with El Do-rado, IF the Grizzlies win over Hot Springs and El Dorado loses amden. Fort Smith would slightly behind El Dorado that

vay. Coach John Thompson, however New York, (2).

Sixty-seven per cent of farmcar mileage is for necessity purposes.

Inought that would be asking too much and, while wishing the best for Camden, said if El Dorado wins, "Fort Smith will recognize them as champions."

Boston College McCaskill

Mrs. Jeff Overton and son of Willisville, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Watson and son of Hope visited their father J. P. Long this week Football Teams end. Misses Thalia Rhodes, and Letha Curtis left Friday for a visit with friends in Gurdon. By AUSTIN BEALMEAR
New York, Nov. 24—(A)—It took
little time, a little patience and
little help from Auburn, but Bos-

Mrs. Rube Griffin and son spent a few days visiting in Murfreesboro and Nashville this week.

and children spent the weekend with relatives in Nashville. Mr. and Mrs. Halton Bittick of Taylor, Tex. visited relatives here the past week.

Miss Duccie Rhodes spent from

Wednesday through Sunday in Lit-tle Rock visiting her sister Miss Evelyn Rhodes.
Mrs. J. M. Curtis and children of
El Dorado spent this week with relatives here. Mrs. Luther Honeycutt and children of El Dorado spent the

week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Daniel have been notified that their son Cpl. Edward Daniel has safely landed over sea.

Junior Harris spent Thursday night with Mr .and Mrs. James Lewis of Nashville. Bill Scott of Hope spent the week and with his parents Mr. and Mrs.

Bert Scott Sr.

Miss Maxine Sewage of Austin, Texas, arrived last Sunday night for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sewdge. Mrs. Perry Henley spent the past

KROGER 📉

week visiting relatives and friends week Visiting to in Reeder.
Cloid Bittick made a trip to El Deredo this week.
—Mrs. Dora Wortham.

Sports Mirror

By The Associated Press
Today A Year Ago — Fred Wilt
of Indiana won N. C. A. A. cross
country title: Rhode Island state captured team championship.

won Edward J. Neil Memorial plaque as boxing's outstanding competitor in 1939.

Five Years Ago — Colorado bout Denver, 34-7, for hocky Mountain Grid lille as Whazer White scored thre etouchdowns and passed to two, scoring 22 points and topping nation's leader; with 122 points.

There are five marshals in the So-viet Army; the title is a personal honor, granted to high officers for ex-Three Years Ago - Billy Conn ceptional service.



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Wide World Sports Columnist ciation's sake, we hope football coach Frnka of Tulsa U. makes

his class of cadets. . . The North Carolina Pre-Flight football team

than a sprained hand.

a.m., C.W.T.)

Banking committee considers tire dealers' bill (9:30).

ies legislation to allow president to suspend tariff and immigration la-

Yesterday

Routine session.

Del., (15). Holyoke, Mass. — Sal Bartola,

Holyoke, Mass. — Sal Bartola, 126, Boston, outpointed Dave Crawford, 124, New York, (10).
Newark, N. J. — Marvin Bryant, 152, Dallas, Tex., outpointed Artie Levine, 156, Brooklyn, (6).
Chicago — Sammy Parratto, 135, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Al Gomez, 133 1-4, Chicago, Drew, (8).
New York — Roman Alvarez, 137, New York, outpointed Bobby Ruffin, 134 1-2, New York, (8).
Providence, R. I. — Jackie Calura, 128, Hamilton, Ont., knocked out Tommy St. Angelo, 129 1-4, New York, (2).

THE EDGE OF DARKNESS

THE STORY: All Norway is preparing for revoit against its Nazi conquerors. SS Major Ruck the boat."

I knew him," Malken interchine gun and killed everyone rupted, "He was a fine young boy."

within ten paces of it. We broke, whoever was left, and they came

must be taken to curb growing unrest. Meanwhile Karl Fischer, drawn to Karen Stensgard, finds that he cannot remove her picture from his mind.

CONFLICT

CHAPTER VIII narrow windows near the ceiling

swathed in bandages and his burned hands like lumps wrapped in white gauze, sat at the head of the table.

doctor was standing beside him, with his hands in his pockets, rocking importantly back and forth on his toes. Gunnar Brogge and Knut Osterholm himself, his dark, to help her, screaming at them to rugged head half buried in the leave her alone, and crying, 'I'm collar of an old coat, stood hunched coming, Anna; I'm coming, over with his back to the outside

how when down in Stoksund the sounded very tired. soldiers had come, all caution had been forgotten. They had picked "there hadn't been any new troops up their guns and called the chil-dren into the houses. The German sat back and began to talk over if "Listen to

covered." He stopped and stared dred wolves set loose. All of a moodily at his hands, which he sudden houses started bursting hept cradled in front of him. into flame. First one, then another. "About that time," he said, "was the molors. It was like a nunder apart for a connect you had in the hand in starting?" "Yes," cried Solveig suddenly, into flame. First one, then another. "If those things have to happen." (To Be Continued)

SVERRE HAMMER paid no atover. But the first detachment of AT nightfall, Knut Osterholm troops had got up on some roofs went down to the well-stocked by then, and they picked him off cellar of his farm, blacked out the like a sparrow just as he was geting the boat away. We scattered. with tarpaper, and stationed two with machine guns they were of his hired boys whom he could picking off a man here and there, trust at the door. Some time after and whenever they had cleared a two women crept by various paths doubled over, until sometimes from the village and the hills, and there weren't more than twenty one by one slid out of the dark- or thirty meters between us. The ness into the dimly-lighted room, women had come back from the In the center of a long table boats, and most of them were lying stood one lone lamp. Along the on pilings under the wharf. We

stone walls were unfinished could hear some of them crying. wooden benches. Sverre Hammer, But if they'd come up, they would the man from Stoksund, his head have had to cross the open dock." "What happened to them?" asked the pastor, His high, boyish voice quavered.

when the meeting started, the Hammer said coldly. "Some got

his wife, Solveig, were sitting on off. We'd moved up the hill on our the stairs. Next to them stood flank, and had the machine gun in Pastor Aalesen, a thin, sandy-haired young man with a bright lying down in front of us. About flush to his cheeks. Lars Malken, that time, one of the women . . . I flush to his cheeks. Lars Malken, his face looking gray and more deeply lined than ever, stood under a window with Gerd Bjartine dock and started crawling to the doc nesen. The others, fishermen, two ward us. We kept watching her. laborers, Morten Mortensen, who Two of the old men started to had come down from near the pray. But they saw her and let go saeter, and another farmer named with a burst of fire. She got up Kjerlof, a little man with a beard, and began to run, but she didn't who owned a small plot down near get ten steps before they caught the fjord edge, were seated un- her. Her husband broke out from comfortably along the benches. behind our barricade and ran out

The words trailed off. The pastor The words trailed on. The whole dim room was in turloor.

Hammer had been telling them
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fitful shadows of moving men on
fitful shadows of moving men on "About nine o'clock," he said,

dren into the houses. The German captain had been the first to die. Gunnar interrupted. "How were you situated? How many of you?"

"A hundred and four. We were facing town with our backs to the water and the wharf on one side. On the other flank we had a little of the motors. It was like a hundred and keep pretty well of the motors. It was like a hundred and four well as the children were in Stoksund? Do you want your whole lives torn apart for a conflict you had no hill we could keep pretty well of the motors. It was like a hun- apart for a conflict you had no

at us from two sides. Somehow I tention. "He jammed in all who would go," he said, "of the women the got down to the wharf. I had to keep my arm in front of my eyes, and children with the games with the games with the games. and children, with the idea of set-ting them adrift until it was all and hurning wood. The walls were and burning wood. The walls were falling in all around me. Even the trees were on fire . . ."

SUDDENLY he stopped. Not a man breathed. "What happened? Where are

the women? "I don't know." "What did they do to those they caught?"

"I don't know."

"What if we fought too, and no one followed us? What if every town in Norway . . . ?" Pastor Aalesen leaped up. His hair was disheleved. His plump, red cheeks were burning. "It's wrong," he cried. "It would be

murder. It's against God's will."

His voice rang out. Everybody looked up and saw him wavering on the stairs with his arm outstretched. Sverre Hammer shoved the table "Go on," cried Gunnar.
"We fought until dark," Hamwiolently aside and started ward. Gunnar held him back. The
mer said slowly, "and held them
man was beside himself. "They
man was beside himself. "They slaughtered us in the streets," he

"In these times I must cry out

all the louder. Now is when you need me." "By God, pastor . . .," cried Gun-"Jesus said, 'They that take the

sword shall perish by the sword' "He will give us away," cried Hammer. "How can you trust a man who talks like thr?" "God have mercy on you," cried Aalesen fervently.

the low-beamed ceiling. "Traitor," called one of them. "Listen to me," he pleaded. "We

cried Solveig suddenly,